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September 23, 2010

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
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Karen Majcher
Vice President of High Cost and Low
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Re: Docket No. 96-45, Certification Letter Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R.
§§ 54.313 and 54.316, for the year 2010

Dear Ms. Dortch and Ms. Majcher:

On November 2, 1999, the FCC adopted a mechanism to provide high-cost support to non-rural carriers. *In the Matter of Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Ninth Report and Order and 18th Order on Reconsideration, CC Docket No. 96-45 (FCC 99-306), released November 2, 1999* (Non-Rural USF Order). That Order requires states to certify that the non-rural carrier(s) in their jurisdiction will use the federal support in compliance with section 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. This certification letter is being submitted to satisfy that requirement.

In accordance with the requirements of that Order and 47 C.F.R. § 54.313 the Maine Public Utilities Commission certifies that all the federal high-cost funds provided to the non-rural company, Northern New England Telephone Operations, Inc.-ME, will be used in a manner consistent with the requirements of 47 U.S.C. § 254(e). To the best of our knowledge, all federal high-cost support will be used only to support those services for which the support is intended. In addition, pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 54.316, we certify that rates in the rural areas of our non-rural company are reasonably comparable to urban rates nationally because they are below the nationwide urban rate benchmark safe harbor.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Joel Shifman at joel.shifman@maine.gov or at (207)287-1381.

Sincerely,

Karen Gereghtry
Administrative Director

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VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS
AND ELECTRONICALLY FILED ON JULY 29, 2010

Karen M. Geraghty, Administrative Director
Maine Public Utilities Commission
State House Station 18
Augusta, Maine 04333

**Re: United States Cellular Corporation, Docket No. 2010-
Chapter 206 Annual Certification and Annual Report**

**THIS IS A VIRTUAL DUPLICATE OF THE ORIGINAL HARDCOPY
SUBMITTED TO THE COMMISSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS
ELECTRONIC FILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Dear Ms. Geraghty:

On behalf of United States Cellular Corporation ("USCC") and pursuant to Chapter 206 of the Maine Public Utilities Commission Rules, I am hereby submitting USCC's Annual Certification and Request for Continued Certification for receipt of federal high cost universal service funds.

In order for USCC to continue to receive universal service funds, the Commission must certify to the FCC that USCC will use the monies it receives in compliance with 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313, 54.314, i.e., that the monies will be used "only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended."

I trust that the Commission will find that the attached Annual Report meets the requirements under Maine's Chapter 206 and will in turn issue its annual certification and request to the FCC for USCC's continued receipt of universal service funds.

On July 16, 2010, I filed a motion for protective order ("Order") to cover the build-out plans under Chapter 206 § (6)(I) and maps indicating prospective coverage under Chapter 206 § (6)(J) so that this material could be submitted on a confidential basis, as contemplated in Chapter 206 and as was done for the filing of USCC's Annual Report in years past. This Order has been granted, so I am providing the Commission with CD-ROMs containing both confidential and

Karen Geraghty

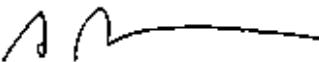
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non-confidential maps responsive to § (6)(J) and Exhibit I which is also confidential.

Please also note that today is my last day at Curtis Thaxter—I am moving back to my home town of Boston next week. If the Commission has any questions regarding this filing, please contact James L. Costello, Esq. and he will be prepared to assist you.

Yours sincerely,



Susan E. Schorr

Enclosures

cc: Stephanie Cassioppi, United States Cellular Corporation
Jeffrey Sorensen, United States Cellular Corporation
Wayne Jortner, Office of the Public Advocate
James L. Costello, Esq.

УЗСС МЕ ЖИГІТ АУ

ETC Support Disbursed in 2009						
Program	Amount					
HCL	\$ 1,457,035					
HCM	\$ 857,150					
IAS	\$ 16,755					
ICLS	\$ 4,288,591					
LSS	\$ 2,060,931					
LTS	\$ -					
SNA	\$ 125,383					
SVA	\$ 5					
Total	\$ 8,556,139					
User of ETC Support in 2008 - New Cell Sites						
Site No.	Site Name	City	In Service Date	Capital Expense	Operating Expense	Total Expenses
833432	West Bridgton USF	Bridgeton	05/25/09	\$ -	\$ 70,713	\$ 70,713
444411	Grand Isle USF	Grand Isle	05/16/09	\$ 495,489	\$ 73,345	\$ 568,814
424334	Brooklin USF	Brooklin	05/08/09	\$ 227,108	\$ 77,291	\$ 304,399
444412	West Forts USF	West Forts	2010	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
444416	Rockwood USF	Rockwood	11/19/09	\$ 574,634	\$ 13,614	\$ 588,447
833449	Hartsfield USF	Hartsfield	10/30/09	\$ 392,837	\$ 19,734	\$ 412,571
833460	Philipsburg USF	Philipsburg	10/05/09	\$ 731,030	\$ 27,906	\$ 758,936
424340	Bucks Mill USF	Bucksport	11/30/09	\$ 873,679	\$ 9,887	\$ 883,566
833452	Shapleigh USF	Shapleigh	07/31/09	\$ 467,422	\$ 48,335	\$ 475,757
444442	Tennants Harbor USF	Tennants Harbor	07/31/09	\$ 360,672	\$ 49,335	\$ 410,007
444439	Hartland USF	Hartland	12/11/09	\$ 664,533	\$ 6,678	\$ 681,111
2009 New Cell Sites - Totals						
				\$ 4,727,384	\$ 397,369	\$ 5,125,352

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2009 Operating Expenses - Cell Sites Built Using ETC Dollars In 2008						
Site No.	Site Name	City	In Service Date	Capital Expense	Operating Expenses	Total Expenses
444423	Edgecomb USF	Edgecomb	04/16/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
286318	East Corinth USF	East Corinth	04/20/08	\$ 6	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
296305	Millford USF	Millford	05/20/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
863428	Limerick USF	Limerick	07/23/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
444427	Brownfield-USF	Brownfield	08/18/08	\$ 3	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
444430	Reservoir-USF	Reservoir	08/29/08	\$ 4,917	\$ 118,404	\$ 123,321
288338	Charlton-HIUSF	Charlton	09/16/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
853421	North Walpole-USF	Walpole	09/26/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
444424	Northport West-USF	Northport	09/26/08	\$ 1	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
444428	Monmouth-USF	Monmouth	10/23/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
444431	Unity-USF	Unity	10/26/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
301323	Poind-USF	Poind	12/16/08	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
444435	Frenchville USF	Frenchville	12/23/08	\$ 6	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404
2009 Spending - Sites Built with ETC Funds In 2008 - Totals						
					\$ 1,339,250	\$ 1,728,558

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Site No.	Site Name	City	In Service Date	Capital Expenses	Operating Expenses	Total Expenses	Benefiting to Customers
2008 Operating Expenses - Cell Sites Built During ETC stations in 2007				Opening Expenses			
Site No.	Site Name	City	In Service Date	Capital Expenses	Operating Expenses	Total Expenses	
285325	Greenburgh-USF	Ardsley	11/20/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The Greenburgh site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of Greenburgh and Ardsley as well as provides service along I-95, route 11 and 2.
288331	Sayreville-USF	Sayreville	10/31/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The Sayreville site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of Sayreville, Bayonetts, and Sherman Mills as well as provides service along I-95 and route 11.
288340	Howard-USF	LaGrange	11/20/07	\$	\$ 54,403	\$ 118,404	The Howard site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of Howard, West Enfield and parts of Langhorne as well as provides service along I-95 and routes 6 and 2.
288341	Lis-UFS	Lees	11/20/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The LEE site provides coverage to the town of LEE and serves routes 6 and 16B.
424330	Orland-USF	Orland	06/28/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The Orland site is a coverage site that provides coverage to the town of Orland and serves routes 17 and 31.
444387	Union-USF	Union	06/04/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The Union site is a coverage site that provides coverage to the town of Union and serves routes 1, 176, 15, 31, 131, 87 and 1.
444383	Thomaston USF	Cushing	10/28/07	\$ 100,204	\$ 118,404	\$ 218,607	The Thomaston site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of Thomaston, Cushing and parts of Saint George as well as provides service along routes 131, 87 and 1.
444400	Houlton East USF	Houlton	10/11/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The Houlton East site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of Houlton as well as provides service along I-95 and routes 1, 2 and 2A.
444409	Peru-USF	Peru	10/28/07	\$ 41,000	\$ 118,404	\$ 159,404	The Peru site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of Peru and Dixfield as well as routes 2, 109 and 142.
444413	Northwood-USF	Northwood	08/26/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The Northwood site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of Northwood as well as routes 2, 139, 8 and 201A.
424414	North Amity-USF	Hopkinton	10/31/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	The North Amity site is a coverage site that provides service to the town of North Amity, parts of southern Houlton as well as provides service along routes 1 and 2A.
444419	Caron-USF	Caron	08/28/07	\$ 15,000	\$ 118,404	\$ 133,404	The Caron site is a coverage site that provides coverage to the town of Caron as well as provides service along routes 108 and 140.
851392	Lymian-USF	Denton	06/30/07	\$ 104,704	\$ 118,404	\$ 223,108	To provide new coverage on Route 35 between Lymian and Flume.
853394	South Standish (Benton Cr) USF	Benton	06/30/07	\$ 19,407	\$ 118,404	\$ 138,811	To provide new coverage to the Benton Center area.
853401	Waterville Center-USF	Waterville	06/30/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	To provide new coverage to the Town of Waterville.
853418	Ridgemark USF	Portland	02/23/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	To provide improved coverage and additional capacity in the Ridgemark neighborhood of the City of Portland Maine.
853429	Limington-USF	Limington	07/31/07	\$	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	To provide new coverage on Route 25 between North Limington and Cornish.

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Site No.	Site Name	City	In Service Date	Capital Expenses	Operating Expenses	Total Expense	Benefits to Customers
653434	Energy Mill - USF	Shingleback	08/23/07	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	To provide new coverage to portions of the Towns of Akron, Shingleback, and Santon as well as to parts of the Neumann Lake community.
653435	East Lebanon - USF	Lebanon	08/23/07	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	To provide new coverage to the Town of East Lebanon and Route 222 between Bath and South Lebanon.
653443	Philipsburg - USF	Philipsburg	08/23/07	\$ -	\$ 118,404	\$ 118,404	To provide new coverage on Route 229 between Bath and Philipsburg.
	2009 Spending - \$1.5M Built with ETC Funds in 2007 - Totals			\$320,267	\$2,368,078	\$2,688,345	
	Total 2009 ETC Spending			\$3,242,826	\$6,634,710	\$9,877,536	

USCC 2009 ME USAC Data

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Study Area Code 109002

2009 ETC Funds Received - State of Maine

As of December 31, 2009

Month	HCL	HCM	IAS	ICLS	LSS	LTS	SNA	SVS	Total
Jan	\$ 14,366	\$ 41,840	\$ 1,997	\$ 379,838	\$ 42,548	\$ -	\$ 5	\$ 5	- \$ 480,594
Feb	\$ 221,203	\$ 41,850	\$ 2,125	\$ 379,931	\$ 371,148	\$ -	\$ 23,759	\$ 5	- \$ 1,040,018
Mar	\$ 117,679	\$ 41,850	\$ 2,072	\$ 379,937	\$ 206,878	\$ -	\$ 11,882	\$ 5	- \$ 760,298
Apr	\$ 115,948	\$ 40,988	\$ (2,778)	\$ 361,696	\$ (113,488)	\$ -	\$ 12,795	\$ 5	- \$ 435,185
May	\$ 110,589	\$ 42,309	\$ 1,116	\$ 277,903	\$ 133,745	\$ -	\$ (12,767)	\$ 5	- \$ 552,895
Jun	\$ 118,145	\$ 40,892	\$ 78	\$ 380,800	\$ 209,384	\$ -	\$ 12,167	\$ 5	- \$ 761,467
Jul	\$ 114,432	\$ 41,497	\$ (2,308)	\$ 354,175	\$ 214,250	\$ -	\$ 12,739	\$ 5	- \$ 734,787
Aug	\$ 122,383	\$ 41,532	\$ 696	\$ 354,515	\$ 214,425	\$ -	\$ 12,665	\$ 5	- \$ 746,216
Sep	\$ 122,785	\$ 41,532	\$ 480	\$ 354,495	\$ 214,415	\$ -	\$ 12,665	\$ 5	- \$ 746,372
Oct	\$ 163,753	\$ 200,358	\$ 12,151	\$ 268,435	\$ 137,704	\$ -	\$ 14,139	\$ 5	- \$ 796,600
Nov	\$ 122,876	\$ 41,403	\$ 557	\$ 378,434	\$ 214,420	\$ -	\$ 12,667	\$ 5	- \$ 770,357
Dec	\$ 122,876	\$ 41,403	\$ 564	\$ 378,422	\$ 214,420	\$ -	\$ 12,667	\$ 5	- \$ 770,352
Total	\$ 1,467,035	\$ 657,454	\$ 16,755	\$ 4,268,591	\$ 2,059,931	\$ -	\$ 125,383	\$ 5	- \$ 8,595,139

Charter 900 Annual Report, Exhibit 3
 Saturday, July 31, 2010
 Maine Annual Certification for Calendar Year 2006
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City	Address	Zip	Description
SCARBOROUGH	Gattemwood Dr.		4074 Current coverage in customer area is not sufficient for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A lower modification is not currently planned for this area.
AUBURN	Dunn St.		4210 Current coverage in customer area is not sufficient for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A lower modification is not currently planned for this area.
BUCKFIELD	Summer Rd.		4220 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for East Summer.
LISBON	Union St.		4230 Current coverage in customer area is not sufficient for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Union Ridge.
MILTON	Main Rd.		4240 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Main Rd.
MINGOT	Lower Rd.		4250 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Lower Rd.
OXFORD	PO Box 522		4270 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A lower modification is not currently planned for this area.
BREWER	Wickon St.		4412 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A lower modification is not currently planned for this area.
NEW HAMPTON	PO Box 293		4420 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A lower modification is not currently planned for this area.
YORKSHIRE	New Yorkshire Rd.		4570 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A lower modification is not currently planned for this area.
DEER ISLE	PO Box 172		4627 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Stimpson.
EASTPORT	East End St		4651 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Eastport.
FRANKLIN	47 Franklin's Rd.		4654 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Franklin.
LITTLEFIELD	Wiley Rd.		4730 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Littlefield.
WALDOHURST	Pinecone Rd.		4798 Coverage is established in 4109 to care for customer needs in this area. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Waldohurst.
ROCKPORT	Power Drive Ln.		4859 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A low to in planning for Rockport.
CAMPBELL	Whalen Rd.		4926 Current coverage in customer area is not adequate for customer needs. Providing customer with requested level of coverage would require major network modifications. A lower modification is not currently planned for this area.

Chapter 206 Annual Report, Exhibit C
 Friday, July 30, 2010
 Maine Annual Certification for Calendar Year 2010
 U.S. Cellular

Report on Complaints

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Complaint No.</u>	<u>Nature of Complaint</u>	<u>Resolution</u>	<u>Conclusion</u>
Maine Attorney General	1	Early Termination Fee dispute	Explained Terms and Conditions and reiterated that early termination fee is valid because of incarceration.	Issue resolved
Maine Attorney General	2	Phone return dispute	Explained policies, forwarded paperwork to find their issues.	Not suspended. Issue resolved.
Maine Attorney General	3	Early Termination Fee dispute due to move	Explained Terms and Conditions and determined more warranted adjustment of ETF.	Adjusted Charges. Issue resolved.
Maine Attorney General	4	Request by non-customer for address changes	Explained policies, did not change account.	Issue resolved.
Maine Attorney General	5	Phone return dispute	Explained return/exchange policy and offered to exchange the phone.	Customer cancelled account.
FCC	6	Incorrecting call detail dispute	Explained policies, did not change account.	Issue resolved.
FCC	7	Coverage issue	Explained process to evaluate area (coverage) and potential resolutions.	Issue resolved, customer still active.
FCC	8	Billing dispute	Explained policies and bill changes.	Adjusted Charges. Issue resolved.
FCC	9	Billing dispute	Nature of dispute unclear, but conducted full audit of account.	Adjusted Charges as requested by goodwill, issue resolved.

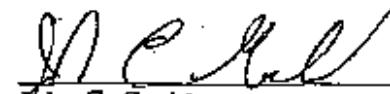
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Maine Public Utilities Commission
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Exhibit D

I, John C. Gockley, am Vice President, legal and Regulatory Affairs for United States Cellular Corporation, 8410 West Bryn Mawr, Suite 700, Chicago, IL 60631 ("USCC"). I have the authority to make the representations herein. Based upon information known to me or provided to me by employees responsible for the preparation of data and pursuant to the Annual Reporting Requirements of Chapter 206 Section 6(D) of the Maine Public Utilities Commission's Rules, 65-407, United States Cellular Corporation ("USCC") I hereby state as follows:

USCC complies with the consumer standards set forth in Chapter 294 of the Commission's rules and the Cellular Telecommunications and Internet Association's (CTIA) Consumer Code for Wireless Service and as set forth in Chapter 206 Section 3(G).

EXECUTED at Chicago, Illinois this 6th day of July, 2010.


John C. Gockley
Vice President, Legal and Regulatory Affairs
United States Cellular Corporation

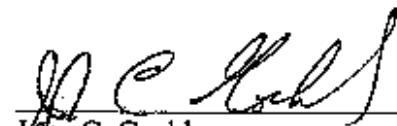
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USCC had and continues to have the ability to function in emergency situations based on continued adherence to the standards found in Section 3(F) of Chapter 206 of the Commission rules.

EXECUTED at Chicago, Illinois this 6th day of July, 2010.


John C. Gockley
Vice President, Legal and Regulatory Affairs
United States Cellular Corporation

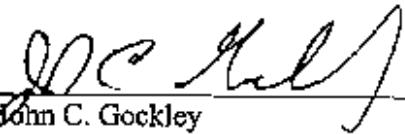
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USCC has publicized the availability of its applicable telephone assistance programs, such as Lifeline and Link-Up, in a manner reasonably designed to reach those likely to qualify for service within USCC's designated service area. Such publicity included advertisements likely to reach those who are not current customers of the CETC within its designated service area.

EXECUTED at Chicago, Illinois this 6th day of July, 2010.


John C. Gockley
Vice President, Legal and Regulatory Affairs
United States Cellular Corporation

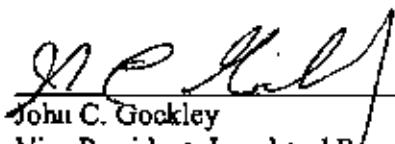
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In light of current market conditions, USCC's qualifying local usage plan remains comparable to the one offered by the incumbent local exchange carrier in the service areas in its ETC designated service area. USCC's qualifying local usage plan provides an unlimited number of minutes of calling in the carrier's calling area at a monthly cost of not more than \$35.00. This safe harbor plan allows customers to terminate their service at any time with no penalty. USCC implemented its safe harbor plan pursuant to the new Chapter 206 rules in mid-2008. USCC currently has 17 subscribers on this plan. USCC is advertising its safe harbor plan on its public website, and through brochures.

EXECUTED at Chicago, Illinois this 6th day of July, 2010.


John C. Gockley
Vice President, Legal and Regulatory Affairs
United States Cellular Corporation

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Exhibit H

Wireless carriers received funding based upon the number of line counts filed by wire center in the State of Maine on FCC Form 525. As such, there are no costs to report as a basis for calculating the anticipated amount of Federal Universal Service support.

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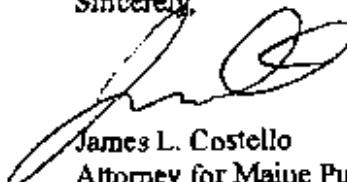
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Dear Ms. Geraghty:

On behalf of United States Cellular Corporation (USCC) and in response to the Staff's request, please find enclosed a revised Exhibit F to be included as part of its annual certification filing under Chapter 206 of the Commission's Rules.

Sincerely,



James L. Costello
Attorney for Maine Public Service Company

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cc Office of Public Advocate
Stephanie Cassioppi

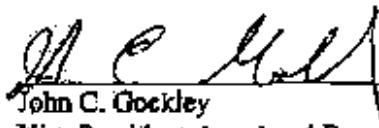
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Exhibit F

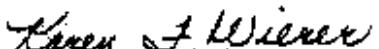
I, John C. Gockley, am Vice President, Legal and Regulatory Affairs for United States Cellular Corporation, 8410 West Bryn Mawr, Suite 700, Chicago, IL 60631 ("USCC"). I have the authority to make the representations herein. Based upon information known to me or provided to me by employees responsible for the preparation of data and pursuant to the Annual Reporting Requirements of Chapter 206, Section 6(P) of the Maine Public Utilities Commission's Rules, 65-407, United States Cellular Corporation ("USCC") I hereby state as follows:

USCC has publicized the availability of its applicable telephone assistance programs, such as Lifeline and Link-Up, in a manner reasonably designed to reach those likely to qualify for service within USCC's designated service area and intends to continue to do so during the certification period. Such publicity will include advertisements likely to reach those who are not current customers of the CETC within its designated service area.

EXECUTED at Chicago, Illinois, this 20th day of September, 2010.


John C. Gockley
Vice President, Legal and Regulatory Affairs
United States Cellular Corporation

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this 20th day of September, 2010.



Karen F. Wierer
Notary Public



My Commission Expires: 01/04/13